whereas, Eugene C. Cornelius has been a citizen of New Effington and Northeast Roberts County, South Dakota, for more than fifty years; and,

WHEREAS, Through his untiring dedication to the Town Board, American Legion, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, Masons and Shrine, and other community endeavors, Eugene has been an enthusiastic and respected leader in his community; and,

WHEREAS, Eugene has devoted his time and efforts to the Faith Lutheran Church as a Board Member, President of the Congregation and Member of the Choir; and,

WHEREAS, Eugene has been a devoted and loving husband to his wife, Irma, and four ceautiful children: Elaine, Dennis, Douglas and Phyllis; and four very special grandchildren: Christopher, Renae, Cameron and Ann; and,

WHEREAS, Eugene is celebrating his thir ieth year as founder and operator of the Cornelius Body Shop on Friday, September 1, 1978; and,

WHEREAS, This event is worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this special occasion:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, HARVEY WOLLMAN, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Friday, September 1, 1978, as:

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in South Dakota, and join with his many friends and relatives in wishing him a day filled with happiness and friendship and an abundance of good health and happiness in the years ahead.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have bereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirty-First Day of August, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Eight

HARVEY WOLLMAN, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE